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TOPIC Evacuation of the LIEBEROSE-JAMLITZ Troop Training Grounds

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1. a. The restricted area near JAMLITZ (O 52/A 59) <sup>was</sup> evacuated by Soviet troops on 7 November 1949.

b. One T34 tank and one JS tank, both having had engine trouble, left the troop camp toward FUERSTENWALDE (N 53/V 33) on 15 November 1949.

2. a. 2d Lt VIDROV with a guard detail of about 20 men remained as camp commandant. VIDROV, born on 25 October 1927, belonged to   His unit was allegedly stationed in the Buslow Kaserne, FRANKFURT/Oder (O 53/V 63).

b. Besides the mentioned guard detail, 20 German guards guarded the troop camp which remained off limits after the departure of the troops. The camp was scheduled to be reoccupied in May 1950.

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Comment:

a.   confirms that the JAMLITZ-LIEBEROSE training area was evacuated in early November 1949 by maneuver troops (7th Gds Mecz Div (Cadre)) who had stayed there throughout the Summer and Fall of 1949.

b. The report states that the camp will not be occupied during the winter months but will be reoccupied in the Spring of 1950.

c.   confirms the 26th Gds Mecz Regt (Cadre) of the 7th Gds Mecz Div. (Cadre) up to early November 1949. The regiment was previously identified in Bad SAAKOW.

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